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LYMPHOCYTES

Our Ref. No. 180/95 PCT/US

Please find enclosed in connection with the subject U.S. patent application the following documents:

- An Amendment Transmittal Form (2 pages); 1.
- 2. An Amendment D (11 pages); and
- 3. A return-receipt postcard to be returned to us with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office filing stamp thereon.

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In re application of:

Thomas F. Tedder

Application No.: 09/555,349

Group No.: 1632

Filed: 05/26/2000

Examiner: Li, Q. Janice

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TOLERANCE IN B LYMPHOCYTES

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#### AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

#### **STATUS**

Applicant is a small entity. A statement was already filed. 2.

#### EXTENSION OF TERM

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. 3. Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for three months:

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#### FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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## AMENDMENT D

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Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated February 13, 2003, having a term that expired on May 13, 2003. A petition for a three (3)-month extension of the deadline to August 13, 2003 is hereby made. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$465.00 extension fee for a small entity to Deposit Account 50-0426. Favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.

## **AMENDMENTS**

Please amend the subject application as follows: